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In re Patent Application of: Masahiro NAKAZAKI et al.

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For: COLORING METHOD OF TANGIBLE Exar

MATTER HAVING POLYAMIDE BOND AND TANGIBLE MATTER COLORED BY SUCH

METHOD

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.